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**From:** DeMaria, Eva  
**Sent:** Wednesday, January 13, 2016 4:53 PM  
**To:** 'HOOD Robert'  
**Cc:** Matt McClincy (mcclincy.matt@deq.state.or.us); LIVERMAN Alex (liverman.alex@deq.state.or.us); Sheldrake, Sean; Michael Allen (allenmc@cdmsmith.com)  
**Subject:** EPA Comments - Addendum 4 to the XPA/SCE for BNSF's Willbridge Yard, Portland, OR  
**Attachments:** EPA Comments - Willbridge BNSF Railyard Addendum 4 XPA-SCE 160113.pdf

Hey Rob-

I realize you're working on a SCD for this, but I had already asked our contractors to comment prior to the holidays. So here are EPA's comments. Please call or email if you have questions. Thanks.

Eva

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**From:** HOOD Robert [mailto:HOOD.Robert@deq.state.or.us]  
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**To:** DeMaria, Eva <DeMaria.Eva@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** FW: Submittal: Addendum 4 to the XPA/SCE for BNSF's Willbridge Yard, Portland, OR

Hello Eva. I wanted to make sure you received the Willbridge Switching Yard Addendum 4. This is the other site I picked up from Shawn Rapp. The plan is to update the existing source control decision that Shawn started. Alex Liverman suggested I finish drafting a "weak" source control decision and then send it out for comment to you and the City of Portland. The reason for the "weak" decision is that there is not hard evidence of significant contaminant transport via stormwater lines, but there is also not conclusive proof that it doesn't occur. I informed BNSF I will be drafting the SCD, but indicated that I am quite sure the City and EPA will have comments. If you have any questions, please let me know. Thank you. -Rob Hood.

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**From:** Jennifer Sampson [mailto:[jsampson@integral-corp.com](mailto:jsampson@integral-corp.com)]  
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**To:** HOOD Robert  
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**Subject:** Submittal: Addendum 4 to the XPA/SCE for BNSF's Willbridge Yard, Portland, OR

Dear Mr. Hood,

On Behalf of BNSF Railway Company (BNSF), Integral submits the attached report, "Addendum 4 to the Expanded Preliminary Assessment (XPA) and Source Control Evaluation (SCE), 2015 Stormwater Storm Drain Sampling Results" for BNSF's Willbridge Switching Yard in Portland, OR. This document reports results of sampling required by DEQ prior to finalizing the Source Control Decision. Results of this work confirm that Willbridge Yard flow and constituent contributions to the storm drain pipes beneath the Willbridge Yard are insignificant. We would like to meet with you late this month or in early September to discuss next steps.

It is my understanding that two hardcopies of this report are required by DEQ. Please confirm that your mailing address for receipt of these is as follows:

Robert Hood  
Project Manager  
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We will send the hardcopies upon confirmation of this address.

Thank you,

*Jennifer*

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